Uttar Pradesh during the last three years is as under:

1992-93	Nil.
1993-94	1
1994-95	2

(b) As per the existing policy, regularisation of unauthorised connections (without valid documents) is not permitted.

(c) Does not arise.

Stoppage of Supplies by IOC to BPCL

5540. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:

SMT. CHANDRA KALA PANDEY:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether IOC (Marketing Division), Eastern Region, stopped supplies Ex. their Haldia, Mourigram, Siliguri, Barauni and Rajbandh supply points hospitality account POL products to BPCL from the 13th March onwards, affecting BPCL retail outlets;

(b) whether the stoppage was continued inspite of the directives from PCC to maintain normal supply to BPCL; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons for stoppage of supplies to BPCL and why no action could be taken for three weeks to restore the normal supply to BPCL?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATISH SHARMA): (a) to (c) Supply from IOC supply points, viz., Haldia, Mourigram, Siliguri, Barauni and Rajbandh to BPCL or any other petroleum company was never stopped. However, there was partial disruption in upliftments from the above locations due to the development of an IR situation on the demand for minimum wage of Rs. 75 per day per worker by the contract labour of BPCL. The OCC had advised IOC to eliminate the partial disruption and BPCL to resolve their IR problems in the larger interest of maintaining supplies to the Oil Industry as a whole in the Eastern Sector. The partial disruption was eliminated on 31.3.1995, when the IR problem of the contract labour of BPCL was resolved.

पट्रोलियम उद्योग के विकास हेतु योजना

5541. **श्री राम जेठमलानी :**

श्रीमती सुषमा स्वराज :

क्या पैट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने आठवीं पंचवर्षीय योजना के दौरान पैट्रोलियम उद्योग के विकास हेतु किसी योजना के कार्यान्वयन का निर्णय लिया है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या इस योजना के कार्यान्वयन पर व्यय की जाने वाली राशि भी आबंटित की गई है ;

(ग) यदि हां, तो इस प्रयोजनार्थ कुल कितनी धनराशि आबंटित की गई है ;

(घ) वर्ष 1994-95 के अन्त तक इस राशि में से कुल कितनी राशि व्यय की जा चुकी है ; और

(ङ) इस योजना पर कितना प्रतिशत कार्य पूरा कर लिया गया है ?

पैट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (कैप्टन सतीश शर्मा) : (क) से (ङ) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और यह सभा पटल पर रखी जाएगी ।